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## NEWS AND VIEWS . . .

### And What Have You

By BOB CRAIG

The City Council and the aviation committee of the Board of Community Development made a big step in the direction of future growth for Hamlin the other day when arrangements were made to go ahead with the construction of a new airport.

While on the surface an airport may not seem very important to the average citizen, it is very important to the type of people that can determine our future growth.

A good all-weather landing strip is also important to many of the industries that Hamlin already has. While too many seem to sing the blues about how the small towns are slipping away, this seems like a good time to point out that Hamlin is blessed with some rather strong industries that are too often taken for granted.

There is not a town in the area that would not be making a strong pitch to get Celotex if there was some chance that it could be obtained. We have a great number of oil related industries that add untold dollars to our economy each year. Added to this are the agriculturally related industries such as Moore Elevator and its many operations, Plains Oil Mill and the compress and gins.

And most of these firms deal with people and firms that have airplanes or at least fly at one time or another.

It is just not possible to make a very good impression with these people when they have to land at Stamford or Abilene and find some way to get to Hamlin.

No doubt there are a number of people that feel that Hamlin needs a lot of other things besides an airport and they are right. But if we go to work on them as hard as the people have that have made the airport possible—we can have them too.

There is no doubt that the whole state breathed a sigh of relief the other day when the Senate and the House finally reached an agreement on a new tax program for Texas.

When you look at the bill it is hard to see what is so different from it and the ones proposed in the first special session and it makes you wonder why it took so long.

We are afraid that one of the principal problems that this session is going to create is the public's disgust with the whole system and those representing us in Austin.

Unless the public forgets by the time it goes to the polls next year a lot of good men could suffer from this summer's madness.

We hope that this is not the case in this area because we have three good men in Austin and they were not any happier about what happened than the people back home were.

In an apparent effort to overcome this backlash we received a note this week from Senator David Ratliff who represents the 21 counties in the 24th Senatorial District, which includes Jones.

Sen. Ratliff said, "I have voted every time for an increase in the tax on cigarettes, beer, wine, whiskey, and other luxury and unnecessary items, as well as a tax on the current rash of filthy movies now being shown in our movie houses, but that so far, each time the senate passes such legislation, it is killed by some of the house members. (Ed. note: this was written before the current bill was passed). House members of the 24th district, however, have continued to support beer, cigarette, wine and whiskey taxes the same as I have."



HEAD TWIRLER -- Wendy Russell, Hamlin High School senior, has been named head Pep Squad twirler for the 1969-70 season. A member of the Pep Squad for three years and a twirler for two years, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russell.

## Mrs. J. S. Inzer Dies In Home Fire Monday

Mrs. J. S. Inzer, wife of a prominent Hamlin resident and civic leader, was fatally burned when fire destroyed a major portion of the family home at 615 Northwest First Street Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Loy Hill, Mrs. Inzer's mother, was in her apartment that is joined to the west of the home by a carport was not injured in the blaze.

Cause of the fire and an official estimate of the damage had not been ascertained at press time. The den in the center of the house was severely burned with ceiling joists and framework around the picture windows being charred. Extreme heat and smoke heavily damaged other areas.

The fire alarm was given at 3:35 p.m. by a neighbor, Mrs. Jerry Waggoner, 115 Northwest Avenue G, when she noticed thick smoke pouring from the home. Mrs. Waggoner's mother, Mrs. Vernon Stewart of Lamesa, took Mrs. Hill from her apartment to safety. The apartment later filled with smoke but was not affected by the blaze.

Mrs. Inzer, 69, had been confined to her home because

of a heart condition, taken from the home through the carport entrance by rescue workers with the Hamlin Fire

### Annual Broom Sale Set Here By Lions Club

The Hamlin Lions Club will sponsor its annual Broom and Mop Sale for the Blind here Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 22, 23, according to Arlie Casle, president.

The two-day sale will be under the leadership of Charles Hilburn, chairman, assisted by Charles Reed and J. O. Murphree.

The club will be divided into two teams for the sale with Ellis West and Bill Davis as captains.

### THREE DAYS OF RAIN BRINGS TOTAL TO 1.62 AND STILL RAINING

Rain continued to fall Wednesday, for the third day, with uninterrupted heavy showers early in the morning.

One inch of moisture was recorded at 8:45 a.m. Wednesday and it was still raining steadily at this time. This reading covered the time period from 5 p.m. Tuesday when the reading was .45, and the 5 p.m. measurement for Monday was .03.

At press time Hamlin had received 1.62 total for the three days.

### Connie Christian Elected Junior Band President

Connie Christian was elected president of the junior high school band. Other officers are Carla Adair, vice president; Leigh Ann Vaughan, reporter and Jeri Anne Waggoner, secretary.

### Adopt Son

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed are announcing the recent adoption of a son, Cayce Todd. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Turner of Rotan and Mr. and Mrs. Denton Reed of Graham. The Reeds have another son, Keith, 3.

### Firemen Warn Motorists About Water Hoses

C. L. White, president of the Hamlin Volunteer Fire Department, and Ed Branscum, fire marshal and fire chief, would like to remind motorists that crossing a charged fire hose is in violation of the law. Even worse than this, they said, is the fact that the hose could be ruptured, causing more property loss and endangering the lives of those involved in fire fighting and rescue work.

The Department expressed appreciation to motorists who try to avoid driving down streets near a fire, which helps to prevent traffic congestion.

### Season Tickets Still Available

B. V. Newberry, high school principal, is reminding football fans that season tickets for home games are still on sale in the main office of the high school.

Many good reserved seats are still available, he said.

## Pipers to Open Football Season Friday At Rotan

The Pied Pipers will open their fall football campaign Friday evening at Rotan with the Yellowhammers. The kickoff time is scheduled for 8 o'clock.

Scouting reports indicate that Rotan has a quick, fast team this year and are expected to take to the air with a good passing quarterback and two exceptional ends back from last year.

The Yellowhammers are coached this year by Charlie Davis and will be operating from the Wing T. They have scrimmaged Seymour and Jayton and the coaches here who watched them say they made a good showing in both outings.

Coach Joe Youngblood told the Booster Club Monday evening at its first meeting that he was well pleased with the showing the Pipers made against Aspermont last Friday. He said that he was especially pleased with the strong showing of the B Team.

Shelton Marshall, with an injured ankle, has been added to the Piper injured list, joining Gary Smith and Earl Webb.

The Piper B Team will open its season here next Thursday, Sept. 18, with the Wylie B Team.

The seventh and eighth grade teams will travel to Merkel Tuesday evening with the seventh grade playing at 5:30 and the eighth grade at 7:00.

## Joe Simpsons Announce Sale of Grocery Store to Mackey, Holtz

Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Simpson, owners of Simpson's Fine Foods have announced the sale of the business to Ewell Mackey and John Holtz.

Fixtures and stock were sold to the new owners but the building ownership was retained by the Simpsons.

Mackey, a former dairy products distributor for Borden Inc., has lived in Hamlin for 13 years. He was in the milk business for 17 years before selling the Borden distributorship to Jack Harughy last month.

Holtz, a salesman for Mrs. Baird's Bread for eight years, moved to Hamlin in November, 1963.

The new business will be City Food Market.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson moved here Sept. 5, 1933, with Katy Railroad. He was cashier-telegrapher and Mrs. Simpson taught high school English.

Apr. 1, 1934, the Simpsons opened a grocery store two blocks north of the present location. In 1936 they constructed a frame building on the present site, 334 N. Centarl Ave. Following World War II the present building was built.

The Simpsons also own the property across the street where the dry cleaning and laundry plant, trailer park and a filling station is located. No change will be made in these businesses, the Simpsons said.

The new owners are involved in an extensive remodeling program this week and hope to be ready to open early next week. New flooring is to be laid (this week and repainting of fixtures is underway.

Date for the formal opening in about a month will be announced later.

## Commissioners Approve Budget, Set Same 80c Rate for Next Year

Jones County commissioners have approved a budget for the coming year that is somewhat less than that for the year just coming to a close. The tax rate will remain the same — 80 cents on the \$100 valuation.

Written in the budget is a provision for an across the board five per cent increase in salaries.

The new budget calls for total expenditures of \$570,599.56 as compared with \$584,530 last year. Of this total revenue, it is estimated ad valorem taxes will provide \$232,000. County

valuations showed a net decrease of \$200,000.

The county will get some \$33,000 in lateral road money which comes from gasoline tax collected in the county.

Another major source is money from the sales of motor vehicle licenses. The county gets the first \$175,000 and a percentage of the money over that amount. About \$20,000 comes from the state because the county is on a salary basis and this is in lieu of fees.

The balance of the operating funds comes from fees charged for various services and from fines collected by the courts.

The 80-cents tax rate is made up in this manner: Jury Fund, 3 cents; Road and Bridge, 12 cents; Road and Bridge Special, 15 cents; General Fund, 48 cents, and Permanent Improvements 2 cents.

### Pipers Elect Two More Captains

The Piper football team elected two more captains Tuesday to join the two elected last spring. Elected this week were Bill Hodnett and Jerry Braley, both seniors.

Elected last spring were seniors Gary Smith and Spencer Ford.

### Pack Meeting Set Monday Evening

The regular monthly Cub Scout pack meeting will be held Monday evening in the primary school cafeteria, says Cubmaster Gean Witt.

All boys eight years of age or in the third grade are invited to join the Cub Scouts, Witt added.

## Cotton Farmers to Hear Report On Dollar-A-Bale Program

Stamford — Cotton farmers will hear a detailed report on their dollar-a-bale program at a meeting here Tuesday, September 16, according to Charles W. Stenholm, a trustee of the Cotton Producers Institute.

The meeting is set for 7:00 p.m. at the Cliff House Restaurant.

"If you are tired of hearing bad news about cotton, plan to attend this meeting," Mr. Stenholm said. "You will hear solid evidence that cotton can fight its way back from the market losses of recent years."

The program will be presented by staff members of the National Cotton Council. They will report in detail on research and promotion activity being carried out by CPI and the National Cotton Council.

The visual presentation will point out how industry funds are being used to make cotton more appealing to consumers, for promotion to convince consumers to buy cotton, and to find ways of producing cotton at lower costs.

"We believe you will leave the meeting with renewed confidence in the future of the cotton industry," Mr. Stenholm said.



NEWS FROM . . .

# Old Glory

By JUDY WHITE

**4-H Club News**  
The Old Glory Community Junior 4-H Club held its first meeting for the 1969-70 school year in the study hall after school on Tuesday, Sept. 2. The main business was the election of new officers for the year, as follows: president,

Billie Jo Baltz; vice president, Beverly Neumann; secretary, Kathy Wendeborn; treasurer, Doug Vahlenkamp and reported, Celinda Vahlenkamp. The adult leaders are Mrs. Eddie Jones, Mrs. Jack Jones, and Mrs. Ed Wolsch. County Agent Truette Hennig met

with the group to discuss projects for the year. The club will meet regularly on the afternoon of the first Wednesday of each month.

Mmes. Cecil Klump, Travis Beil and Johnnye Pumphrey attended the first annual meeting of the Beta Chi Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma held in Munday last Saturday morning.

Mrs. Louise Spradlin is here from Waco visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Katie Gerloff, and her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Beno Herttenberger. Last Thursday, Mrs. Spradlin and Mrs.

Gerloff accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Herttenberger to Paducah where they visited in the home of another brother, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Herttenberger. Mrs. Gerloff and Mrs. Spradlin stayed there until Sunday then the Emil Herttenbergers brought them home. Mr. and Mrs. Tim Jennings and children of Vernal, Utah, are here visiting in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Sawyers and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Jennings. Mrs. Jennings and the children will remain here for three weeks while he is attending a three-week special school for his company in Houston.

Classes in the Old Glory High School have elected officers for the new school year as follows:

**SENIORS** — president, Rick Boles; vice president, Herb Woodbridge; secretary, Jane Barrera; and treasurer, Ed Vrzalik. Mr. Bill Wright is sponsor.

**JUNIORS** — president, Regina Letz; vice president, Robert Joiner; secretary, Weldon Spitzer; treasurer, Steve Letz, and Mr. Claybourne Clarke, sponsor.

**SOPHOMORES** — president, Debra Pierce; vice president, G. M. Johnson; secretary, Cynthia Boles; and treasurer,

Virginia Barrera, Mr. Terry P. Sellers sponsors the class. **FRESHMEN** — president, Dale Letz; vice president, Eustaquio Catsro; secretary, Linda Neumann; treasurer, Dave Letz. Mrs. Cecil Klump is the sponsor.

For the first time in several years Old Glory School is being served by a school nurse. Mrs. Lillian Hicks of Rochester, who has been employed by the Aspermont Public School for the past three years, has been employed on the county cooperative agreement plan this year and will be serving both Aspermont and Old Glory.

Mrs. Beno Herttenberger and Mrs. Lynn Flowers attended a bridge luncheon in the home of Mrs. Nadine Bryson in Aspermont last Friday afternoon. Herbert Klump was able to return home from the Haskell Hospital last Saturday after spending last week there as a patient.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Jennings attended the funeral of Mrs. Jennings' sister, Mrs. Miller, in Olney last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Gill and Mitch spent last weekend in Lubbock. Mr. Gill's mother, Mrs. E. E. Gill of Vealmoor, was in the hospital there re-

covering from surgery. She was able to be moved to the home of a daughter who lives there.

## Miss Mary Esco Receives Masters Degree At ETSU

Miss Mary Esco received her masters degree in library science at East Texas State University in Commerce following studies during both summer sessions.

Miss Esco has been teaching in Hamlin for nine years. She received her BS degree in elementary education from Texas College in Tyler.

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FOREMOST

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## FASHIONS THAT FOLLOW APOLLO TO 1969 STATE FAIR IN DALLAS



ONE GIANT LEAP for fair fashions... All style systems are go for the 1969 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 4-19, in Dallas where "Fashions That Follow Apollo" will be launched free several times daily in the auditorium in the air-conditioned Women's Department. Here's one of the Texas-made fashions to be featured during the Moon Year Exposition: a silk print dress by Ann Murray in brown, nutmeg and white with a free flying ascot. The photograph was made at another top State Fair of Texas attraction, the Dallas Health and Science Museum.

## Mrs. McKissack Hosts Beta Theta Opening Meeting

Mrs. B. W. McKissack was hostess for the opening meeting of Beta Theta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sept. 3. Mrs. L. C. Bonds, president, presided. Plans for the new year were outlined by the committee chairmen.

Mrs. Leldon Clifton presented the program on the definition of happiness. Members also gave a brief personal definition. In summary, Happiness was summed up as being many

different things in varying degrees. "Happy is the man whose Lord is God" was the closing thought.

The hostess served Mmes. Larry McCraw of Stamford, Tim Jones, Cecil Sellers, W. T. Johnson, Floyd Clifton, Billy Joe Wilson, James Harrison, Leldon Clifton, Mack Sellers, W. A. Hawkins and Johnnie Jeffrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dale St. Clair, 213 S. W. Fourth, are parents of a girl, Sherry Lynn, born at 4:14 a.m. Sept. 6. She weighed 7 lbs. 8 oz.

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# Scanning the LIBRARY SHELVES

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**A Handbook To Literature** by William Flint Thrall and Addison Hibbard  
Revised and enlarged by C. Hugh Holman.

Written by the late Professor Thrall and the late Dean Hibbard in 1936, the Handbook was revised by Holman in 1960.

The Handbook consists of three parts: the Handbook proper, an alphabetical listing of articles discussing terms in current use in English and American literary history and criticism; an essay on "Some Standard Works on English and American Literature," which is intended as a brief bibliographical guide to further study and exploration; and an "Outline of Literary History," which lists in chronological order the major events in English and American literary history from the beginnings to the present.

**Between Parent & Teenager** by Dr. Haim G. Ginott

Between Parent and Teenager suggests solutions for many problems likely to arise during adolescence: rebellion and authority, conflict and crisis, identity and autonomy. It offers helpful methods of communication, healing dialogues, and emotional first aid.

This book brings a message of hope and a blueprint for competence to parents who wish to stand, withstand, and understand their teenagers.

The morning Fort Worth Star-Telegram is featuring this book in a 24-part series which started Sunday.

## FIVE SMOOTH STONES

by Ann Fairbairn

As contemporary as today's news flashes yet as timeless as the Biblical account of David from which the title is derived, this is the story of a man whose life is as much his people's as it is his own. David Champlin is a Negro born in New Orleans during the worst of the Depression, and his story spans generations and classes, races and continents.

Five Smooth Stones begins in "the narrow, circumscribed world" of David's birth and childhood, telling how a young boy is taught to live in the world, to withstand its pressures, and to withdraw from its obstacles. It tells of Da-

vid, a grown man who knows that there are pressures which never lessen and obstacles which cannot be avoided.

Most important of all, here is a compelling story. It is the story of David, a character of remarkable proportions, strong but gentle, stern but loving, fallible, courageous, and above all, irresistibly human. It is the story of a people and their striving told with extraordinary depth and conviction. It is an honest and gripping love story, not soon forgotten. It is a story which will remain alive long after its final page is read.

## ANNIVERSARIES AND HOLIDAYS

**A Calendar of Days and How to Observe Them**

by Mary Emogene Hazeltine

This second edition, completely revised with the editorial assistance of Judith K. Sollenberger of the Indianapolis Public Library Staff, follows the pattern of the first edition of 1928, and is first of all a Calendar of Days as its subtitle indicates.

Planned not only for librarians but also for public speakers, preachers, teachers, newspaper offices and broadcasting studios, it is useful in planning exhibits in museums, libraries and stores and as a source of information for various types of quiz programs.

## Mrs. Williams Reviews Book for Women In Concern

Mrs. Sammie Williams reviewed "Black Like Me" by John Howard Griffin for the Women in Concern program Monday evening at Oak Grove Baptist Church Fellowship Hall.

The book covered a period during the latter part of 1959 through a part of 1960 when the author changed the pigment of his skin and lived as a Negro in the deep South.

Mrs. Louberta Maxwell, hostess, served iced tea, hot rolls and butter with jelly made by Mrs. V. V. Anderson.

Others present were Mmes. Cecil Hardaway, Bill Cork, James Covington, Melvin Scott, I. J. Starr, Ben Curry, Belton Hooper, Willis Paige, Henry Bussey, John Marshall, E. E. Monkres, Floyd Hallmark, Bob Craig, and Annie Nell Lee.

The next meeting will be Oct. 13 in Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church with Mrs. Scott as hostess and Mrs. Hardaway arranging the program. The meetings are held on the second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

## Merkel Nurse Gives Report On For LVN Meeting

Edna Horton of Merkel was guest speaker for the Monday evening meeting of Licensed Vocational Nurses, Div. 73, in monthly session in the primary cafeteria.

Mrs. Horton, a nurse at the Dyess Air Force Clinic, reported on the NAPNES Seminar held in Ohio. During the national meeting educational services available were discussed and upgrading the nursing profession was stressed, she said.

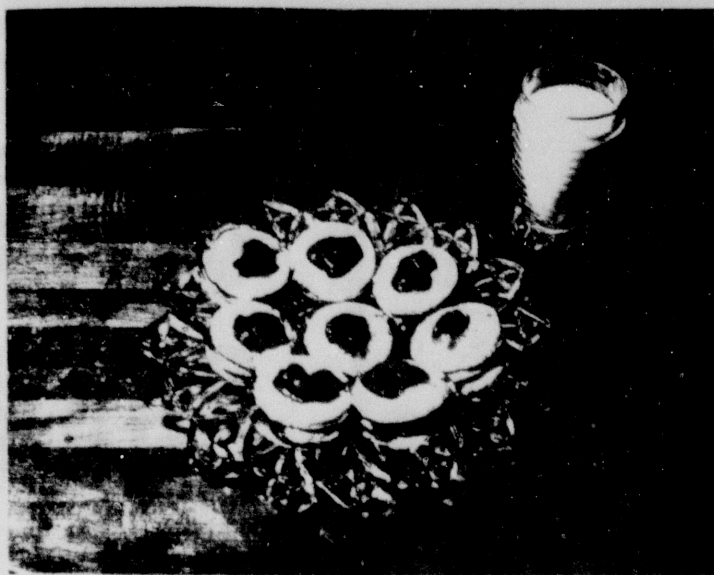
Eleven members were present.

## Jaycee-ettes Set Meeting Tonight

The Hamlin Jaycee-ettes will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m. in the Jaycee Community Building for a business meeting and work night.

The members will complete the scrap book for the past year. Mrs. Ewell Mackey, president, will preside. Hostesses will be Mrs. Edie Offield and Mrs. Jerry Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Bundas and Keith were in Endicott, N. Y., for three weeks to be with his mother, Mrs. Mary Bundas just after she suffered a heart attack five weeks ago. Mrs. Bundas is still seriously ill the family said.



## STRAWBERRY STACKS

Elegant or simple, these easy-to make stacks are always delicious. The children will love them for after school snacks.

$\frac{3}{4}$  cups sugar  
4 Tbsps. butter  
1 egg  
3 Tbsps. milk  
1 tsp. vanilla

2 cups flour  
1 tsp. baking powder  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  tsp. salt  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  tsp. nutmeg  
 $\frac{3}{4}$  cup Griffin's Strawberry Preserves

Cream butter till soft, add sugar and beat until creamy. Combine egg, milk and vanilla, add to mixture. Sift flour with baking powder, salt and nutmeg. Beat into mixture. Chill several hours. Roll out  $\frac{1}{8}$ " thick and cut with floured cutter. Place on ungreased baking sheet and bake at 375° about ten minutes. Cool. Spread each round with preserves and make stacks, 3 or 4 rounds high. Top with a dab of whipped cream for a festive touch.

## HOSPITAL PATIENTS

C. C. Levins  
Mrs. Gus Travis  
John Johnson  
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Mrs. J. T. Hester  
Mrs. W. M. Farmer  
Tom Garland  
Mrs. A. M. Dry  
Cleon Warner  
Merle Grice  
Mrs. C. C. Prater  
A. P. Johnson  
Mrs. J. D. Stuart  
Mrs. R. F. Redier

Mrs. J. P. Bowman  
Dee Holcomb  
Clyde E. Harris  
John Collins  
Mrs. A. K. Shultz  
Mrs. M. R. Gandy  
Elmer Feagan  
Mrs. Lara Raymond

## Jim Johnson 8-A Class President

Students in 8-A elected Jim Johnson as class president to serve with the following officers: Cooter Wood, vice president; Mike Griffin, secretary; Leigh

## MENTAL HEALTH MATTERS

Stanley F. Yolles, M.D., Director  
National Institute of Mental Health

## MENTAL PATIENTS AIDED BY HOSPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

By Alan I. Levenson, M.D.  
Director, Division of Mental Health Service Programs

Without a great deal of national fanfare and publicity, a program now in its fifth year of growth has been quietly benefiting many thousands of mentally ill all around the country.

This is the Hospital Improvement Program of the National Institute of Mental Health. To help bring better care to mental patients, Federal funds are awarded to State mental hospitals to make immediate improvements in hospital services through specific projects.

All kinds of mental hospital patients have been benefited: long-term patients, elderly ones, children, alcoholics, hospitalized illiterates, and maximum security ward patients.

## BRIDGE WINNERS

Mrs. Dale Lain and Mrs. Gene Knabel were first place winners at Tuesday evening bridge play at the Hamlin Jaycee Community Building. Other duplicate bridge winners were: Mrs. Jack Russell and Mrs. Floyd Briscoe, second; Jack Russell and Gene Knabel, third.

Ann Vaughan, reporter, Luann Shira, annual representative, and Steve McKissack, fire marshal.

Robert Brandon is class teacher.

They include people like these three:

One mental patient, after 45 years in Boston State Hospital, was able to move out to a family-care program. This took place after he was drawn into special discussion groups to prepare patients to return to the community. He then went to work in a sheltered workshop program.

Another patient is now manager of an automobile salvage business. Formerly, he was described as "incurable" and having been "rocking around the wards for at least 10 years."

Nearly 70,000 patients who have received improved services through the program have been discharged from hospitals and are living at home, in nursing homes, or in other community facilities.

Nearly two-thirds of the Nation's 300 State mental hospitals have received grants for improvement projects since the program started in 1963.

The program is the only major nationwide activity for helping mental hospitals to undertake, under their own administration and jurisdiction, projects which they otherwise could not carry out to improve services, treatment, and other aspects of their care and management of patients.

In the long run, this kind of activity can help improve all our mental hospitals.

On the basis of the program's five years of experience, there is almost no limit to the useful kinds of projects that could be initiated to help hospitalized mental patients.

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## FROM THE FILES . . .

**FORTY-FIVE YEARS AGO**  
(September 12, 1924)

The past week has been good to open cotton. The Hamlin gins and cotton yard have received many bales over the previous week. The general estimates for this year's crop keep ranging around the 10,000 mark. Some think it will be less and some believe it will be more. Evidently the turn-out will be determined by the amount of rain in the next few days. Should it rain plentifully there will be much more made and later in opening, however if it continues to be dry it will not be long in getting the crop gathered.

Abilene, Texas--Indications that the Eleventh Annual West Texas Fair at Abilene, September 22-27 inclusive, will draw the greatest crowd on record here, and draw that crowd from the most extensive territory yet reached, are seen in the recent announcement of rates accorded by the railroads, which have placed the West Texas Fair on the same basis as the State Fair of Texas. The fare for the round trip to and from Abilene for the period of the Fair will be one and one-third the usual fare, as a minimum, and ranging all the way up to one and one-fifth fares from the longer distances.

Two days of auto racing on one of the best dirt tracks in the state will draw the speed fans.

**TWENTY YEARS AGO**  
(September 9, 1949)

An operating budget for the 1949-50 school term was set by Hamlin public schools at \$150,985, I. R. Huchingson, superintendent, said this week.

Opening the season against the Stamford Bulldogs, on the Hamlin field Friday night, members of the 1949 Pied Pipers are Don Gregory Ronald Armstrong, Bill Sutherland, Don Rowland, John Holland, co-captain, Joe Allen Dean, co-captain, Harold Johnson, W. T. Stapler, Asa Goodgame, Donald Green, James Mayberry, Robert Fletcher, Garland Fletcher, Clark Hewitt, Don Elmore, Slim Hargrove, Hub Hopper, David Ford, Dean Phipps, R. L. Goodgame Jr. Mgr., Marvin Johnson, Kevon Rogers, Charles Binnicker, Frank Albert Tucker, Franklin Willis, Donald Armstrong, John Edgar Rowland, Fats Hargrove, Jimmy Spencer, Mgr., Vernon Townsend, assistant coach, Joe Don Hymer, Jon Adams, Jerry Seymore, Glenn Tidwell, Kenneth Barnett, Jerry Carr, Guy Weaver, and Jesse "Red" Burditt, coach.

A new oil sand was discovered

in the Hamlin area Wednesday night when S.C. Herring Drilling Company, et al, No. 1, S. C. Ferguson, four miles northeast of Hamlin encountered the Cook formation and was preparing to test.

The pay was picked up at 2,960 feet, and a drillstem test was to be run on the hole Thursday. Operators said the discovery looks like a good producer, but would not hazard a guess as to its potential.

Site for the drive-in theater planned to be built here by Mrs. B. S. Ferguson and her son, Ben, was made recently, Mrs. Ferguson said this week.

The theater will be constructed on the triangular tract of land just south of the bridge on South Central Avenue.

Plans are being prepared for the structure, and construction is not expected to be started for several weeks.

**TEN YEARS AGO**  
(September 10, 1959)

Jones County's first County Fair that was staged last week-end at Anson has been rated tops by hundreds of in-county and out-of-the-county attendants who made the two-day county-wide agriculture, livestock exposition Friday and Saturday.

Although many tiring hours had been spent practicing, there were still quite a few "butterflies" last Friday night at the Hamlin-Eastland football game as the HHS Pied Piper Band and Pep Squad prepared to give their first halftime show which was about three minutes long.

That afternoon the band had been taken to Anson to compete in the parade marking the opening of the Jones County Fair. Although at the time most of them wished they were in school instead of standing in 103-degree heat with their new uniforms on, the discomfort certainly paid off. The band walked away with the first place trophy.

Helen Poe, popular lecturer, inspirational speaker, and book reviewer, is scheduled to appear in Hamlin on Monday, September 21, at the high school auditorium at 7:30 o'clock in the evening.

Miss Poe is sponsored by the Hamlin Woman's Forum.

Barbara Cheshier was elected band president when members of the Hamlin High School Pied Piper Band elected officers last Thursday, the second day of school.

Charles Scott was elected vice president, and Rebecca Ferguson as secretary-treasurer. Peggy Dodd was elected reporter.

# SEASONS CHANGE

For a time leaves are green, then in early fall they become brilliant with many colors. Finally they turn brown and fall from the trees, leaving them drab and lonely looking.

God never changes, he is an ever present help.

"For I am the Lord,

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wonderful and

never changing love.



The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

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Morning Worship .... 10:45 p.m.  
Young People ..... 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY  
Mid week service .... 7:30 p.m.

**First United Methodist Church**  
Rev. Cecil C. Hardaway, pastor  
48 S. W. Ave. A  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 10:50 a.m.  
M. Y. F. .... 5:45 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY  
Sessions for Children Grades 1 thru 6 ..... 4 p.m.  
Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

Rev. Max L. Brown  
Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 10:40 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY  
Prayer Meeting ..... 7:30 p.m.

**NORTH CENTRAL BAPTIST**  
Rev. Harold D. Fleming  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY  
Prayer Services ..... 7:30 p.m.

**Faith United Methodist Church**  
Rev. Aubrey Edwards  
500 N. W. 5th Street  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship .... 5:00 p.m.

**SUNSET BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Ave. C at 6th  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
BTS ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY  
Prayer Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

**Baptist Mexican Mission**  
David R. Campos, pastor  
Stamford Highway  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service .... 10:40 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY  
Prayer Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

**NEINDA BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Frank Codington, pastor  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 6:30 p.m.

**McCauley Methodist Church**  
Rev. Aubrey Edwards  
SUNDAY

Morning Worship .... 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship .... 8:00 p.m.

**CHURCH of the NAZARENE**  
Rev. Marshall Stewart  
S. W. 1st at Avenue C  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 10:45 a.m.  
N. Y. P. S. .... 5:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY  
Prayer Service ..... 7:00 p.m.

**CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Rev. Vincent Nally  
Aspermont Highway  
SUNDAY

Mass ..... 8 a.m.  
WEDNESDAY  
Services ..... 7:30 p.m.

**FOURSQUARE CHURCH**  
Rev. Carl Pool  
113 S. W. Avenue D  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 10:55 a.m.  
Crusader Hour ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY  
Prayer, Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

**Calvary Baptist Church**  
Rev. Gerrie Hensley, pastor  
N. W. Avenue G at 5th  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
BTS ..... 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY  
Song, Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
24 S. E. 9th  
Rev. Robert Ledbetter  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship .... 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY  
Christ Ambassadors .... 6 p.m.

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each month

**OAK GROVE BAPTIST**  
Rev. B. C. Freeman  
Northeast Ave. H  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 10:50 a.m.  
B. T. U. .... 6 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:30 p.m.

**United Pentecostal Church**  
219 N. E. Ave. B  
A. P. Tipton, pastor  
Emma Tipton, co-pastor  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
Evangelistic service .. 7:30 p.m.  
Wed. prayer meeting 7:30 p.m.

**McCauley Baptist Church**  
Rev. Vergu smuin, pastor  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY  
Prayer Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

**EAST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**

Bible Class ..... 10 a.m.  
Morning worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening worship ..... 6 p.m.

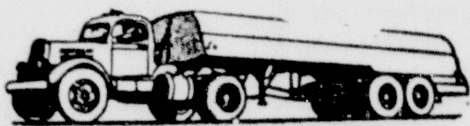
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Bible Class ..... 7:30 p.m.



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The family of Mrs. T. T. Brady

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We are extremely grateful to everyone who was so thoughtful during the illness and death of our friend, Pat Medford. We especially appreciate the care given by the doctors and nurses and the staff at Holiday Lodge. The flowers and remembrances were truly appreciated.  
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## As It Looks From Here . . .

Omar Burleson, M. C.  
17th District, Texas

WASHINGTON, D. C. — The President can find general agreement on the first point he makes in his proposal to revamp the Government's welfare programs. In effect he says present programs are too costly and have been disappointing in results. What was expected to be achieved with all the billions of dollars spent on welfare in recent years is somewhat vague but whatever was expected has not happened.

Now President Nixon is for junking a large part of it and proposes in its stead a new system which has the central feature of an annual income for everyone. It is estimated that initially recipients would be doubled — from about 10 million plus to approximately 21 million people. The additional cost — about \$4 billion.

Coupled with an income assurance for every family is the President's proposal for a change in the Manpower Training Act carrying the slogan of "Get people off the welfare rolls onto the payroll." — cost, — about \$4 1/2 billion.

At a meeting of Governors just concluded in Colorado Springs, a "Revenue Sharing Plan" was endorsed — meaning a refund of Federal taxes to States and Cities on a formula not yet defined.

Led by Governor Rockefeller of New York, the Conference also advocated the Federal Government taking over all welfare financing from the States.

Likely, Hawaii would welcome such a take over more than any other State. Four years ago Hawaii became the first State to assure its citizens that if they did not have an adequate income of their own, the State would see that they were taken care of. The plan involves the "negative income tax," cheered at the time by its advocates as a "noble experiment."

From all reports, few people understand the State's complicated formula and some have received refunds of a dollar or two a year which cost the State many times the amount in administrative expense. Seemingly, the plan is now considered to be a case of misguided good intentions and a lesson in how not to help people who need help the most. Naturally, it has been a vote getter and under circumstances they can't turn it loose.

As understood, the plan was to relieve the burden on local residents of a 4 percent sales tax. The tax applies to every retail item and catches ready cash income from happy tourists.

In 1965, Hawaii's Legislature passed bills which in effect, gave actual cash or tax credits to their citizens in amounts based on their income. The less their income, the more money received. The records show that many people do not file a return or apply for the benefits since their

welfare payments are greater.

Several other states are trying some sort of a guaranteed annual income or a tax credit for their citizens. Iowa has one with a \$12 per head per year maximum State income tax credit. Indiana gives \$8 per person and Nebraska and Colorado give \$7. These latter plans apply regardless of amount of income.

Massachusetts limits credits to those with incomes below \$5,000 and gives a maximum of \$8 per dependent.

So, any study of a plan for a guaranteed annual income or one for tax-sharing with the states should take into consideration the experiences of the States which are making the experiment.

The recent Governor's conference gave no consideration to the idea of not collecting from the States in the first place, monies which could be used by local governments for a welfare program of their own choosing. (Reference to this subject in a special release on April 28, 1969, and the bill, H. R. 10580, introduced by Burleson for this purpose on the same date).

## 33 Local VA Boys Visit West Texas Fair Tuesday

Thirty-three first-year students of vocational agriculture went on their annual educational trip to the West Texas Fair Tuesday. Students observed livestock, crop, poultry, farm machinery, and other educational exhibits.

Students making the trip were Ray Anders, Roy Baker, Ricky Cary, Johnny Cork, Tommy Gabriel, Ricky Gruben, Mike Herd, John Hill, Tom Hogan, John Howard, Larry Jayroe, Milton Jones, Frankie Kirkland, Terry Lawlis, Henry Lee, Jimmy Lee, Timmy Lewis, Joe Mayes, Stanley Moran, Scott McMahan, Kenneth Payne, Gilbert Romero, Ruben Romero, Ken Shira, Larry Taylor, Tommy Thamez, David Thompson, John Turner, Richard Wallace, Gary Wells, Henry White, Kenneth Williams, and Danny Wood.

The boys were accompanied by their vocational agriculture teacher, Milburn Wink.

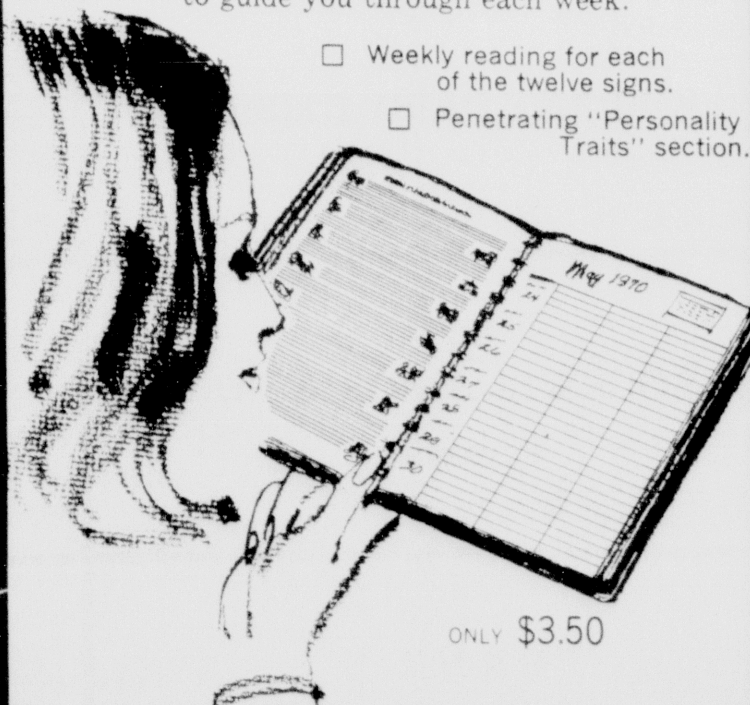
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## Social Security Head Warns Not To Delay to File

"Don't delay, do it today" might sound like an overworn cliché, but it is a very important suggestion to any person nearing his 65th birthday, R. R. Tuley, Jr., Abilene social security district manager announced today.

Failure to make an application on time has resulted in a loss of cash benefits and Medicare protection to some Big Country residents, he reported.

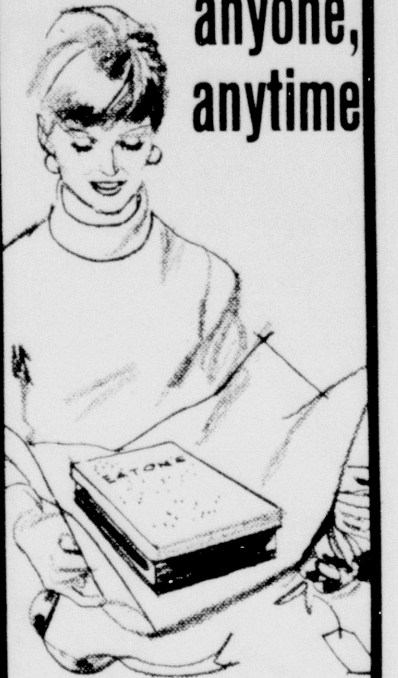
A worker should file his social security claim during the three month period before his retirement date, he stated, and certainly during the three months before his 65th birthday, whether he is contemplating retirement or not.

He emphasized that early filing of the claim allows the social security office adequate time to assist the claimant in securing the required proofs for approval of his claim, and also assures the payment of benefits promptly.

Tuley said that cash benefit applications can be retroactive for a period of one year if all conditions of entitlement are met. But there is no retroactivity to a claimant's election of supplementary medical insurance under Medicare. This is why it is imperative that people make their applications in the three month period before age 65 for the

"doctor bill" part of Medicare to be effective for the month 65 is reached. Chart tablets at the Herald.

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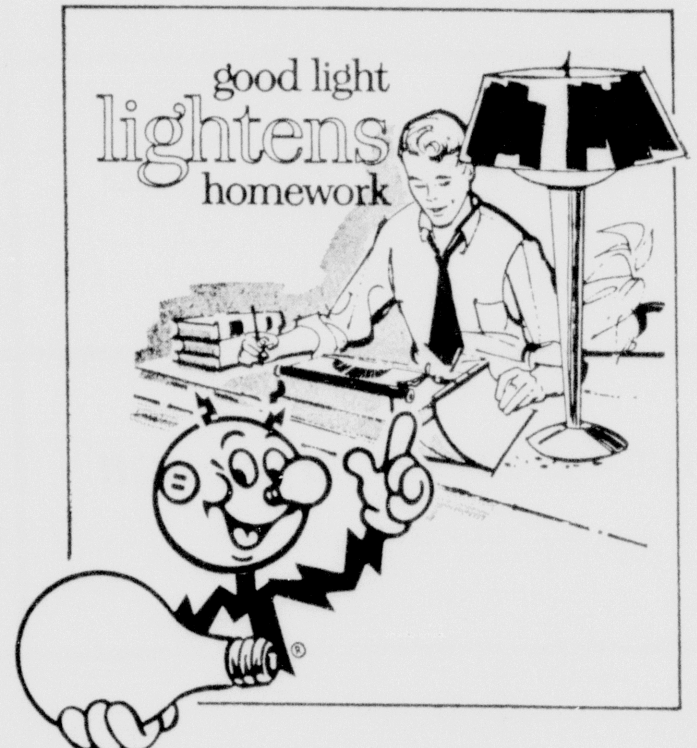
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Details of ASC Committee Voting Explained By County Chairman

Farmers are receiving by mail the official ballots for Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation community committee election, according to John E. Nix, Chairman of the ASC County Committee.

He reminds farm voters that two envelopes accompany each ballot. After a voter has marked his ballot he should fold it and seal it in the plain envelope. The plain envelope should not be signed by the voter because its purpose is to insure secrecy of the ballot.

After sealing the ballot in the plain envelope the voter then should put the plain envelope into the second envelope which is addressed to the Jones County ASCS Office and seal it. He should immediately sign his name on the back of this envelope on the line indicated, fill in the date, then mail the envelope.

With his signature the voter certifies he voted his ballot personally without undue influence of others, explained the ASC Committee Chairman. Without the certifying signature the ballot will not be counted, he said.

If the voter signs the envelope with an "X" mark, the signature of a witness is required.

When the certified envelopes are received in the county office they are immediately placed in a sealed ballot box until September 19, 1969 when ballots will be tabulated, Mr. Nix said.

Ballot counting is open to the public. After certifications are checked, the sealed plain envelopes will be removed from the certified outer envelopes and shuffled together before being opened and the votes counted. "Ballot secrecy is completely preserved," said Mr. Nix. "Signing the outer envelope in no way affects the voter's right to a secret ballot."

News deadline is noon Tuesday. Tuesday evening events by 10 p.m. Tuesday or 8:30 a.m. Wednesday.

The P-TA magazine drive will be held in October.



AUSTIN, Legislators battled wearily toward a conclusion of the second special session, with some indications of a conclusion developing.

A Senate-written version of the tax bill came within six votes of adoption in the House. But Representatives balked at the Senate's compromise \$357.6 million tax bill which included a new "destination allocation formula" designed to collect a corporation franchise tax on out-of-state industries selling products in Texas.

Senate first turned a deaf ear to the House request for a new conference committee.

Gov. Preston Smith and Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes pressed hard for House adoption of the Senate amendments to HB 4, but Speaker Gus Mutscher said the measure remained a "bad bill."

Only really-new idea in the compromise was the destination allocation formula.

Otherwise it called for a quarter per cent increase (to 3.5) in the state sales tax and inclusion of beer and liquor under its base; five cents a pack raise on cigarettes; 50-cent (to \$3.25 per \$1,000) raise in corporation franchise tax rate; one half per cent (to 7.5 per cent of value) hike in natural gas tax; and 10 cents a drink tax on alcoholic beverages sold in private clubs and on airlines.

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He pointed to the coming reapportionment after the 1970 census and asked: "How will we ever pass a tax bill when Houston gets 24 members and only one of them will vote for a tax bill?"

This rural-urban split in the House was just one of many developments as the weary legislators fought to put a majority of each house together on a tax package to sustain state government during the next two years.

Senate first enacted, then backed down on its unusual proposal to levy a \$1 per ticket tax on admissions to "dirty movies." Original bill would have designated the Commissioner of Bureau of Labor Statistics (who supervises boxing and wrestling) to review all movies coming into the state and determine those which should be rated "X" for adult audiences only. The latter were targeted for the tax. After thinking it over a couple of days, Senate bowed to the advice of members who argued that the regulation of sexy movies should be left to a separate bill, not a tax measure.

Increases in teachers' and state workers' pay, expansion of the college and university system, and improvements in the care of the mentally ill account for most of the increase in state spending.

But how to put together a tax package to provide the money was the question which troubled the legislators in the second week of the second special session.

GUEST RULE DELAYED — Tough new rules of the Liquor Control Board to curb temporary guest card abuses at private bottle clubs cannot be enforced pending appeal of a court test case here.

District Judge James Meyers concluded that LCB rules are valid, but they should not be put into full effect until final disposition of the case on appeal.

In the lawsuit, Dallas clubs claimed the rule would close 75 per cent of Texas private clubs, many of which aren't so private. Rule would require guests to be personally introduced or physically accompanied by a club member. Bills would have to be paid by members on monthly statements, not in cash by guests.

LCB said applications for late hours (2 a.m.) drinking permits for clubs and taverns are being screened carefully. Only 18 were approved in the week before the new curfew-stretching law went into effect September 1.

SADLER INVESTIGATION REQUESTED — An investigation of allegations made against Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler under careful procedural safeguards has been proposed to the House by Rep. Temple Dickson of Sweetwater, one of the men who fought an attempt by Rep. Frances Farenthold of Corpus Christi to censure Sadler.

Dickson's resolution would require any investigating committee to give any person under investigation a bill of particulars on what is to be investigated, including all allegations made by members of the Legislature. It would require the committee to allow the subject of an investi-

Accent on Health

Accident - proofing your home doesn't happen accidentally, and it takes a little time and effort to make "Home Sweet Home" a "Home Safe Home," advises the Texas State Department of Health.

Home normally is thought of as a safe, secure place, but it isn't always that way. In fact, it's a dangerous place which can cause death or injury.

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Last year the number of home deaths in this country was some 30,000 with falls, burns and poisons as the leading causes of these deaths.

Most of these deaths occur in the bedrooms, kitchens and bathrooms. Most people think first of the bathtub, with its hazards of falls and drowning, as the number one killer, but it isn't.

Bedrooms rank first. Too many people smoke in bed and "wake up dead" from fire or lethal smoke. Many infants smother from improper covering or too large a pillow. And people get up during the night and fall over objects in the dark. Bad house-keeping is at fault here.

In our slick-floored kitchens we fall, burn, electrocute, bomb and poison ourselves. The oven cleaner, drain cleaner, bleach, dishwashing compounds, insecticide and furniture polish under the sink are products which are poisonous and easily accessible to children. Leaking gas — or fumes — may explode on contact with a pilot light on your stove.

In addition to falls around the tub, the bathroom has another potential killer in the medicine cabinet. It has been estimated that 302,000 children under five years of age ingested some potentially toxic product last year.

To prevent these home accidents, plan for safety. Keep medicines and home kitchen products out of the reach of children. Watch where you put your lighted cigarettes and matches. Put hand holds around your bathtubs and make sure all rugs are slide-free. Never place inflammables near a gas water heater. Before winter sets in, have your heating system checked to guard against fires — or carbon monoxide poisoning. Never touch any electrical appliance with your hands in water or while on a wet floor. And keep things in their places.

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ation to be present at its meetings either in person or by counsel and be entitled to cross-examine all witnesses. Bill also would require that all testimony be under oath and that it be transcribed by a court reporter. And it would give the committee subpoena power, both inside and outside Texas.

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Hamlin High Happenings

Piper Patter

Mary Wallace  
With school well underway freshmen as well as upper classmen have found all of their classes and have settled down to the routine of study. The Junior and Sophomore Classes met last week to elect officers, sponsors, and class parents. Juniors elected Charlie Sellers, president; Dwayne Miller, vice president; Toni Casey, secretary; Keven Mehaffey, treasurer; and Darrell Craig, reporter. Mrs. Fowler, Mrs. Youngblood, and Mr. Butler are class sponsors and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mehaffey and Mr. and Mrs. B. W. McKissack are class parents. Representing the sophomores are Jackie Warner, president; Bob McMillan, vice president; Latrese Williams, secretary;

Jeanie Ferguson, treasurer; and Shelly Holtz, reporter. Class sponsors are Mrs. Codington and Mr. King and class parents are Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Peace and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Clifton. There was a large amount of commotion in the halls of HHS after lunch last Wednesday when seniors received their rings. They arrived much earlier than the rings had been received in previous years. Work has already begun on the 1970 Piper yearbook. Most of the ads in the advertising section have already been sold. Gary Carson is editor and Marcia Steele is business manager. The football boys have been working hard preparing for

the first game against Rotan Friday. The Pipers looked good against the Aspermont Hornets in a scrimmage there Friday evening. They advanced over the goal line once and held the Hornets out of scoring range. The boys are looking forward to seeing the stands full of supporters when they go out to "up-end" the Yellow-Hammers Friday in Rotan. Band members have been working diligently preparing the half-time show for the first game. Drum major is Chris Perrin and band major-ettes are Peggy Jones, Jana Ferguson and Fodie Sonnenburg. The band members will appear for the first time in their new band uniforms at Rotan. Seniors began selling pennants Monday. This year the pennants are printed on ribbon and sell for 15c each. Mr. and Mrs. John C. Bryant took their son, Price, to Kerrville last week where he was enrolled as a sophomore in Schreiner Institute. They returned home Sunday.

NEWS FROM ...  
Sylvester

By MRS. R. M. BARR

Nice quite weekend, but it seems nearly everyone has a sinus cold and feeling pretty rough. We hope every thing settles down in the old regular rut soon. Capt. and Mrs. Jimmy Lanning are the proud parents of a boy, James David. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Edwards of Rotan, paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lanning of our town. J. David arrived Sept. 4, 1969. Mrs. Hugh Hood drove to Odessa with the Stevens of Hamlin last week and visited with the William Stevens, who have recently moved back to Odessa from Bakersfield, Calif. Mrs. Hood also visited

her son, Tommy and family while there. Mrs. Gary Douglas and daughter of El Campo spent some time with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Douglass since her husband was working in Mississippi helping the electric people get service restored in the path of Hurricane Camille. Aileen Stephens of Marshall spent several days with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Tindal, this past week. Mr. Loys Smith is in Temple and underwent tests on Monday and there is a possibility that he will have surgery. Mr. Edgar Smith has entered Hendrick Hospital for tests and maybe surgery.

Mrs. Neda Kiser entered Callan Hospital Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Williams of Odessa visited in the Roy Kiser home and with her father in Holiday Lodge in Hamlin. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Douglass flew by jet to El Paso last weekend for a few days vacation. Danna Thompson of H-SU spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thompson. Melissa Hardwick and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan of Abilene visited in the Chub Hardwick home on Sunday afternoon. Mr. Roy Rocquemore is spending a few days visiting his daughter and family in Tucson, Ariz. Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Pursley drove over from Abilene and spent the day Monday doing some repairs on their house. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kiser Jr. and family of Oklahoma spent the weekend in the Cecil Kiser Sr. home. Mrs. Edgar Harris reports

that Clyde Harris has been moved to Hamlin hospital from Baylor hospital in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Perkins of Lubbock drove down to spend the weekend with his mother and do some fishing. The Max Deel family of Levelland visited in the W. B. Brown home over the week-

end. Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Light were visited Labor Day weekend by her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murrell and Karen, and a niece and her family, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen and John, all of Ore City. Chart tablets at the Herald.

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